

## House Resolution No. 1968

**Whereas**, it is with utmost respect that the Missouri House of Representatives pauses in its daily legislative endeavors in order to recognize those Show-Me State high school athletic programs whose members truly embody the concept of Outstanding Missourian through their deeds and achievements; and

**Whereas**, Adair County R-II High School Girls Basketball Team players in Brashear, Missouri, recently distinguished themselves by taking First Place at the Missouri State High School Activities Association (MSHSAA) Class 1 State Championship held March 22, 2003, at the Hearnes Center in Columbia; and

**Whereas**, the Brashear Lady Tigers triumphed over the Chilhowee Lady Indians by a score of 54-38 during an exciting, hard-fought game that was highlighted by the team's ability to overcome their opponent with the incredible skill and talent for which they are known; and

**Whereas**, the State Champion Lady Tigers finished the 2002-2003 season with an impressive record of 28 wins and only 2 losses; and

**Whereas**, the Lady Tigers could not have attained such phenomenal success this season without the unparalleled leadership provided by Head Coach Sara Parish, who has continually instilled within all her talented players the desire to realize their full potential; and

**Whereas**, few competitors possess the athletic prowess displayed by Lady Tigers Brooke Crandall, Jenny Elsea, Kristin Osborn, Dani Moyer, Lacy Church, Niki Peterson, Brooke Salter, Holly Hazen, Meredith Thompson, and Candace Hettinger; and

**Whereas**, fellow students, faculty, and staff of Adair County R-II High School, parents, and the entire community of Brashear are exceedingly proud of the Lady Tigers for their impressive display of teamwork and unwavering unanimity while successfully aspiring towards incredible goals:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the significant contributions made by the Lady Tigers basketball program on behalf of high school sports in Missouri and to extend to its players and coaches this legislative body's most heartfelt welcome to the state capitol on April 17, 2003, for special recognition as guests in the House Chamber; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the "Outstanding Missourians" making up the Adair County R-II High School Lady Tigers basketball team of Brashear, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_

Representative Robert J. Behnen

District No. 2

Joined by the Entire House Membership

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1968, adopted April 17, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker